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For: METAL PIGMENTS COMPRISING A CROSS-LINKABLE BINDING AGENT COATING, COATING COMPOSITION, METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF COATED METAL PIGMENTS AND USE THEREOF

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**REQUEST FOR REFUND OF ERRONEOUS CHARGES**

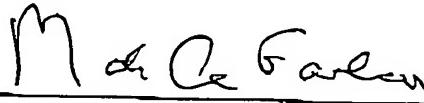
Sir:

This is a request for a refund, with respect to the charge to Deposit Account No. 15-0700. In the Decision on Petition under 37 CFR 1.181 dated February 17, 2009 it indicates that "applicants are being charged a one month extension fee of \$130.00 because the executed declaration was received after the two-month period allocated in the Notice", however, the executed declaration was filed in a timely manner but applied to incorrect application serial no. 10/548,691. The funds have since been recovered from the incorrect application by Ms. Vonda Wallace of the Patent and Trademark Office's Applications Unit. As a result, no extension of time fee for \$130.00 was due and the deposit account charge for \$130.00 for the declaration fee was not warranted. A refund is respectfully requested. A copy of the statements in which the error referred to was filed on August 3, 2009.

Please credit the refund of \$260.00 to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700 for the one month extension fee (\$130.00) and second declaration fee (\$130.00).

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Respectfully submitted,



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